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This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2003, for which the three-month date for response is December 11, 2003.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Williams, Morgan & Amerson, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-0786/2039.011000RFE.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

An amendment to the claims follows at p. 2. Remarks follow at p. 10.